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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor: ROBERT H. KUMMER, JR. et al.

For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR AUTOMATICALLY ASSOCIATING A MANUALLY ENTERED POSTAGE AMOUNT TO A CLASS OF SERVICE**

Enclosed are:

14 pages comprising the specification, claims, and abstract.
4 (four) sheets of drawings.
A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
An Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449.
A Recordation of Assignment Request and an Assignment of the invention to Pitney Bowes Incorporated, 1 Elmcroft Road, Stamford, Connecticut 06926-0700.
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In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.10, I hereby certify that the attached Patent Application, (4) four sheets of drawings, Transmittal Letter, Return Receipt Postcard, Declaration and Power of Attorney, Recordation of Assignment, Assignment and Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 were deposited with the U.S. Postal Service for delivery by Express Mail on September 18, 2003. The number of the Express Mail mailing label is EU475556402US.

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